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PROBLEMS USING PRESTORED ADVANCED BASES

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Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Sir:

It is hereby requested that the term to respond to the Examiner's Action of February 12, 2004 be extended three months, from May 12, 2004 to August 12, 2004.

A check to cover the extension fee is enclosed. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 19-5425. A duplicate of this letter is attached.

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